

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q66130

Dorron LEVY, et al.

Appln. No.: 09/996,789

Group Art Unit: 2857

Confirmation No.: 4578

Examiner: Hal D. Wachsman

Filed: November 30, 2001

For: FAILURE PREDICTION APPARATUS AND METHOD

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

	After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For						
All Claims	54	-	52	=	2	X	\$50.00	=	\$100.00
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A check for the statutory fee of \$100.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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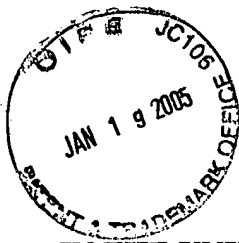
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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 7, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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